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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Annie AUDIBERT et al
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Filed: July 28, 2000
For: METHOD AND FLUID FOR CONTROLLING THE
SATURATION OF A FORMATION CLOSE TO A WELL
Group: 1712
Examiner: Tucker

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 12, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as set forth herein. This paper includes the following items:

Amendment to the Claims; and

Remarks.